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FRANK E. LANGLEY, Publisher.
 Sworn and subscribed before me this 2d day of October, 1917.

JAMES MACKAY.
 (My commission expires Feb. 1, 1919.)

Don't be a financial slacker. Buy a Liberty bond.

The second contingent of selected men are to entrain Wednesday for Ayer, Mass. There should be no lack of hearty send-off at any of the places where they entrain.

The fact that Robert Warm had nothing to say why sentence should not be pronounced on him for conviction for manslaughter was in itself cumulative testimony.

Evidently the Germans did not hear the French at Verdun say: "They shall not pass." Otherwise the Clown Prince would not continue to make a monkey of himself there.

The building of a free highway bridge over the Connecticut river at Wells River and Woodsville, to replace the old "hold-up" bridge, is pleasing news. The bridge is nearly ready for use.

The Barre branch of Red Cross workers is still tending to its knitting, as one could judge by reading of the size of the bundle of completed goods sent to the Boston headquarters of the society last week.

President Irigoyen of the Argentine republic places himself above the representative assembly of that country, even above the dictates of a majority of the people, when he fails to follow the action of the assembly in breaking off diplomatic relations with Germany. The president of Argentina is apparently a dictator in disguise.

General Pershing is not being extensively quoted in the public press nowadays, but there is calm confidence among Americans at home that the commander of the American expeditionary force in France is not lying idle all this time. Admiral Sims too is being left alone, and he has not been falsely quoted in the newspapers for some time. Both these men should be permitted to work out their problems unhindered by too much and too incorrect publicity.

The fact that the demoralized Russians were able to advance a thousand yards at one point on the Riga front probably means that the German line has been thinned to a mere skeleton in order that a large number of soldiers might be released to meet the expected British drive on the western front. Now is the time for the Russians to regain some of their lost territory and a bit of whatever fighting prestige they have made during the war.

Holders of the original issue of Liberty bonds of the U. S. government find themselves suddenly enriched by automatic action through the decision of the government to make the second issue bear 4 per cent instead of 3½ per cent. They are one-half of 1 per cent better off in income as the result. Prospective purchasers of the second issue of Liberty bonds should bear in mind that the government has made a similar promise to raise the interest rate of 4 per cent.

should any succeeding issue of bonds during the war carry more than 4 per cent interest rate. The prospect is entirely favorable to the purchaser.

The prompt floating of the United States battleship which was reported to have run aground during the latter part of last week probably means that the vessel was not so seriously damaged as to impair its serviceability for active work; which is good news just at this time when the United States and our allies need every ship that can be brought into use. The loss of a single ship is a serious matter, and the loss of a battleship is a great handicap when the opposing nations are straining every nerve to get the advantage in equipment of army and navy. It is up to the commanders of these battleships to exercise great caution in navigation, or else they should surrender the command to someone else.

SAVING THE FIRE WASTE

Gov. Graham has come out with a very sensible suggestion along the line of conservation at the same time as he designated Tuesday, Oct. 9, as "fire prevention day" through all Vermont. The suggestion is also timely as well as sensible because it comes at the time when householders are getting ready to start the heating apparatus in their homes for the cold winter season. Fire is an absolute destroyer of materials notwithstanding the fact that the insured may feel a sense of security in the belief that they will get back all or a large part of their property through the insurance companies; but the money with which the burned structures and contents must be replaced must be secured from somewhere and in order to secure it some other form of activity has to be denied. Moreover, that which vanishes in smoke is forever lost and just so much wealth disappears from the face of the earth. The world is a trifle poorer for every fire sustained. That being the case, every Vermont should pay attention to the admonition of Gov. Graham and exercise some care to see that fires be avoided. In that way we can practice conservation.

AVOID SLOW STARTING OF LIBERTY BOND DRIVE

The drive for the second great Liberty loan has started off with considerable enthusiasm and impetus in the large financial centers of the country, particularly, of course, in New York, where the mass of the nation's wealth is located; but in the lesser cities and in the country districts there is, as on the occasion of the floating of the first Liberty loan, too much of a tendency to hang back or to wait for the pulsations of the drive in the large centers of money and business.

There is just as much desire in the small cities and country districts to help the government as there is in the larger places but the former are slower to act. In consequence, the small cities and country sections are handicapped quite a bit through loss of valuable time. A limit of four weeks has been set by the government for the floating of the second loan, and if the work drags beyond that time it will be considered more or less of a reflection on the patriotism of the nation as a whole. Therefore, it behooves all sections of the country to start the campaigning at once and to speed up the work in every possible way to the end that the entire amount of three billions of dollars may be subscribed in the four weeks' limit.

The treasury department has given out the statement that a subscription of five billions of dollars is expected in response to the splendid offer of the government, which statement itself imposes an extra obligation upon the nation and necessitates prompt co-operation in the nationwide drive. Vermont should get into the current of the great movement without further delay. Every city, town and hamlet should have its campaigning committee, whose duty it should be to visit personally every person who is financially able to purchase one or more of these bonds. No one should be overlooked. The government needs the hearty assistance of all of us. Hurry the work now.

NOMINATE MITCHELL BY MASS MEETING

Big Demonstration Was Held in New York City Hall Park for Mayor.

New York, Oct. 2.—A large number of citizens of New York, gathered in City Hall plaza yesterday to notify Mayor Mitchell that he was their choice for the mayor's office again, heard Charles E. Hughes declare:

"The election of a mayor of New York is not a matter of party politics, but a question of municipal ideals and patriotism."

Mr. Hughes was the principal speaker present in the interest of non-partisan efficient government and declared that Mayor Mitchell "incarnated that principle."

Mr. Hughes described Mr. Mitchell as a "patriot mayor," whom "malignant influences were seeking to destroy."

"We do not propose to turn over the interests of this great community to those who have labored to debauch it and make its administration infamous," Mr. Hughes said. Mr. Hughes, speaking of the recent primaries, in which Mayor Mitchell lost the Republican nomination by a recount, to former State Senator William M. Bennett, deeply regretted that the members of his party did not take advantage of the "opportunity" offered to promote the cause of good government. Letters supporting Mayor Mitchell's candidacy were read from former President William H. Taft and Charles Edward Russell, the well known Socialist.

Answering the demands of the crowd that he run again, the mayor, in a speech, said:

"My answer is, I will run. I will make the fight one against Hearst, Bryan and Hoban. I will make the fight against Murphy, Cahalan and O'Leary."

FORE RIVER TO EMPLOY TWELVE THOUSAND MEN

Great Plant for Constructing Destroyers To Be Ready in Three Months.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The great destroyer plant which the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation is erecting on 1,500 acres of land along the banks of the Neponset river in Milton and Quincy will be completed within the next three months.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels was assured yesterday that all of the construction work will be finished by Jan. 1. He said that the Fore River corporation will begin to deliver destroyers to the navy eight months hence, and that from that time on deliveries will be made at frequent intervals until the government's \$100,000,000 contract has been filled.

This would seem to be an almost impossible feat, as a destroyer has never been built in this country in less than two years, and as work on the first destroyer to be delivered was begun only a few months ago. Mr. Daniels feels sure, however, that the delivery will be made, and that the Fore River concern, with its new plant, will establish one new record after another in constructing destroyers.

The Quincy concern will require the services of 12,000 additional employees to operate the new plant. Mr. Daniels said that the securing of this large number of men, many of whom must be skilled mechanics, was one of the problems facing the company. However, he was as optimistic over the success the company will have in finding the men as he was in predicting that the company would establish new records in building ships.

To assist in securing the men needed, all who enter the company's employ will be exempted from military service. Men of draft age, it was said, will be exempted. It was learned for the first time yesterday that the government will pay the entire expense of constructing the plant. Heretofore, it had been generally understood that the government would pay part of the expense and the company would pay the balance.

Reports of progress on the preliminary work on the plant are being received daily at the navy department. Mr. Daniels said the work was progressing as rapidly as expected. It was intimated yesterday that the government would build buildings near the site of the new plant, including a large piano factory, which will be used in connection with the plant, probably as a machine shop.

IRIGUYEN DECIDES THAT ARGENTINA STAYS NEUTRAL

Notwithstanding Vote of Congress and Demand of the People There Will Be No Break with Germany.

Washington, Oct. 2.—All expectations that Argentina might follow the lead of her neighbors and break with Germany have been dispelled here with the news that President Irigoyen is determined not to heed the action of the Argentine Congress and popular demand for action, and will continue a neutral course. His suggestion that all South America determine her war course by a joint conference is not expected to bear fruit, because a similar proposal was rejected by all the other more important governments some time ago.

EAST ORANGE

O. A. and H. A. Prescott, Mrs. Nellie Bailey and Mrs. Belle Johnson recently enjoyed an auto trip to the White mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sanborn and Miss Laura Nye were Barre visitors Friday.

Mrs. G. W. Simpson spent several days last week with friends in Barre.

Miss Abbie Hutchinson of Bradford recently visited her parents here.

Don Brown of Corinth called on F. A. Burroughs Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Bailey returned to her home in Norwich, Conn., Tuesday, after spending the summer with her cousin, O. A. and H. A. Prescott.

G. M. Burroughs and family of Barre visited at W. M. Prescott's Sunday.

George Jewell of Corinth was a visitor in this place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Minard have returned home from a two weeks' visit in Canada.

Bagley Abbott of East Corinth was in the place on business Saturday.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Williamstown grange, No. 81, will hold its annual fair on Oct. 11 and 13. The entertainment Thursday evening will be provided by out-of-town people. On Saturday a fine supper will be served and the entertainment will be by local talent.

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WAITSFIELD

William W. McAllister has returned to Heaton hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Howard F. Joslyn has gone to Fanny Allen hospital.

Mrs. Addie Dole is taking an automobile tour through the White mountains and visiting her brother in Whitefield, N. H.

Harvest supper at the Congregational church Friday Oct. 5; sale of candy, aprons, bags and fancy articles; supper served from 6 to 8 p. m.; admission, 15c and 20c—adv.

Mrs. R. J. Gleason and Miss May Gleason spent several days in Montpelier last week.

D. H. Skinner was in Barre last Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Brown Bailey of Montpelier is a guest of Mrs. D. H. Skinner.

Miss Agnes Tassie, Miss Mary Best, Messrs. Sylvester and Pollard of Johnson were guests of Miss Esther Skinner Sunday.

W. E. Jones was in Waterbury Monday.

Congregational church notices: Next Sunday, Oct. 7, children's day service will be held, entitled, "Children of the Pilgrims." Professional of children, children's choir, special music, offering for work of Congregational Sunday School and Publishing society. Rehearsal of children's choir and all children of parish on Saturday at 3 p. m. Friday evening, choir rehearsal at 8 p. m. in auditorium. Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, special service in auditorium, with special music, solo, men's quartet, short address by pastor.

The boys and girls of Waitsfield, Fayston and Warren will hold an exhibit of home projects at the Waitsfield school building on the afternoon of Friday, Oct. 5. Prizes will be offered as follows:

General vegetables, \$1 for quality, \$1 for best variety shown, 50c for best story. Beans, \$1 for best exhibit, 50c for best story. Potatoes, \$1 for best plate of 20, 50c for best story. Calf, \$1 for best calf, 50c for best story. Pig, \$1 for best pig, 50c for best story. Sheep, \$1 for best sheep, 50c for best story. Poultry, \$1 for best bird, 50c for best story. Best one-half dozen eggs from project flock, prize 50c, counts as second prize in cup contest. Home economics: Canned vegetables, best exhibit one or more cans, 1st prize \$1, 2d 50c. Canned fruit, best exhibit, one or more cans, 1st prize \$1, 2d 50c. Best variety of canning of above, 1st prize \$1, 2d 50c. Jelly, best exhibit, \$1. Sewing, prize for excellence, \$1; prize for variety, \$1. Bread, prizes for excellence, \$1. The Mad River Valley Boys' and Girls' Home Project club offers a silver loving cup to the competitor taking the most prizes. First count as 2, seconds or stories as 1. It is expected that the following people will assist in the exhibit: Mr. Churchill of the state college, Mr. Leggett of the state college, or County Agent Abbott, Miss Pierpont, assistant state club leader, who will also give an address of special interest along food lines, and E. L. Ingalls, state leader, if he can be present. Names of local judges will be announced later.

By holding the Phillies scoreless during the first four innings of the first encounter of the double-header with St. Louis Sunday, Meadows, the St. Louis pitcher, set a record of having pitched 26 consecutive scoreless innings.

Appeals for letters, magazines and newspapers have been pouring in on congressmen. Investigation disclosed that the mails were far behind because transports repeatedly were sailing without them.

est, and the action is aided by the clever dialogue. The authors are Ira F. Tennyson, Jesse and H. M. Harwood, who are not unknown to the English playgoers. The play is now being performed in London, where it was first given at the Royalty theatre in the latter part of August. It has been praised by the critics, both for the excellence of the story and the wit of the lines. "Lonely Soldiers" deals with a timely subject for its main premises are based on the humorous, as well as amatory, complications that come from the quartermaster of two officers at the principal house in an English village where the enforced hostess can ill afford to entertain them. In this new play, Miss Anglin thinks that she has found a successor to "Green Stockings," which served her so well for

several seasons, and which also proved that she was as admirable in comedy as she is in Greek tragedy. For the performance of "Lonely Soldiers" Miss Anglin has chosen her associates with care and with a keen sense of their fitness for the roles they will be called upon to enact—adv.

WASHINGTON

Mrs. C. G. McAllister and Mrs. M. W. Chamberlain will entertain the ladies' mite society Wednesday evening. Supper from 6 to 8. All are cordially invited to attend.

F. C. Huntington and family left this morning for their new home in Burlington.

Emily G. Calef soon leaves for Boston, where she is to stay for an indefinite time.

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 Star and Naptha Soap, per cake 5c
 Lenox Soap, per cake 5c
 Babbitt's 1776 Powder, pkg. 5c
 Tomatoes, per can 13c
 Large pkg. Gold Dust 23c
 Bird's-Eye Matches, per box 5c
 Eagle Brand Cond. Milk, per can 7c
 Seeded Raisins, per pkg. 12c
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Margaret Anglin at Montpelier.

Margaret Anglin believes that she has found a splendid medium for her art as a comedienne in "Lonely Soldiers," a new play which she will disclose at the playhouse theatre, Montpelier, on Saturday, Oct. 6, matinee and night.

Despite the fact that it is a comedy, the piece has a well defined love inter-

several seasons, and which also proved that she was as admirable in comedy as she is in Greek tragedy. For the performance of "Lonely Soldiers" Miss Anglin has chosen her associates with care and with a keen sense of their fitness for the roles they will be called upon to enact—adv.

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